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In re application of:

Akira Matsumoto

Patent No.: 7,060,266

Issued: June 13, 2006

Application No.: 09/980,881

Filed: May 1, 2000

For: HUMAN BRAIN
CARBOXYPEPTIDASE B**CORRECTION OF ENTITY STATUS
AND PAYMENT OF DEFICIENCY
OWED UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.27(g)
and 1.28(c)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The above-identified application filed on May 1, 2000 claimed small entity status in good faith. However, by August, 2005 the above-application was no longer entitled to small entity status.

The following submission of deficiency payment and itemization are believed to meet the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.28(c)(1) and (c)(2). Furthermore, Applicant understands that under 37 CFR § 1.28(d) this submission is treated under § 1.27(g)(2) as a notification of loss of entitlement to small entity status. Therefore, Applicant respectfully requests the deficiency payment be processed and the correct entity status be accorded to the application.

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ITEMIZATION AND CALCULATION OF THE DEFICIENCY OWED

| DATE OF PAYMENT | TYPE OF FEE | SMALL ENTITY FEE ACTUALLY PAID | (CURRENT) LARGE ENTITY FEE FOR ACTION | DEFICIENCY PAYMENT OWED |
|-----------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| August 31, 2005 | Issue Fee | \$700 | \$1400 | \$700 |
| TOTAL DEFICIENCY OWED | | | | \$700 |

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TOTAL DEFICIENCY PAYMENT OWED: \$700

Applicants hereby authorize the Commissioner to deduct the total deficiency owed of \$700.00 from Deposit Account No. 20-1430. Please deduct any additional fees due from, or credit any overpayment to, the above-noted Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 10/19/07

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